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TO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ESTC, YO

SUBJECT: HONEYWELL COMPUTER

REF: (A) BELGRADE 5093, (B) BELGRADE 4403

1. WITH NOTIFICATION (REF A) THAT THE YUGOSLAVS HAVE AGREED TO DISCUSSION OF EXPORT CONTROL PROBLEMS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 13, THE USG HAS DECIDED TO MOVE AHEAD WITH APPROVAL OF THE HONEYWELL APPLICATION FOR THE COMPUTER SYSTEM DESTINED FOR THE SERBIAN MINISTRY OF INTERIOR. OUR APPROVAL IS CONDITIONED ON USING PROGRES METAL IN PLACE OF PROGRES INFORMATIKA FOR DELIVERY OF THE SYSTEM, WITH HONEYWELL ITALIA RESPONSIBLE FOR INSTALLATION.

2. AS REQUESTED IN REF B, THE EMBASSY MAY MAKE OUR INTENTION KNOWN TO THE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS OF THE GOY. WE HAVE INFORMED HONEYWELL (USA) THIS DATE OF OUR INTENTION, BUT HAVE ASKED THAT THEY REFRAIN FROM MAKING KNOWN OUR DECISION UNTIL THE EMBASSY ADVISES IT HAS INFORMED
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THE YUGOSLAVS.

3. THIS APPROVAL SHOULD NOT BE MISINTERPRETED AS BEING A PRECEDENT, ESPECIALLY IN RELATION TO THE HONEYWELL COMPUTER FOR PROGRES' OWN USE. THAT CASE WILL BE ADDRESSED FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE BELGRADE TALKS.

4. IN ACCEPTING THE SEPTEMBER 13 DATE FOR DISCUSSION, WE WISH TO POINT OUT THAT THE U.S. TEAM HOPES TO HAVE THAT DATE AVAILABLE FOR CONSULTATION WITH THE AMBASSADOR AND HIS STAFF, WITH FORMAL TALKS TO BEGIN ON SEPTEMBER 14.

5. ISSUANCE OF LICENSE WITHHELD PENDING REPORT ON YOUR ADVISING GOY AUTHORITIES OF OUR DECISION. HABIB

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